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FOR AMBASSADOR

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SUBJECT: JANUARY 5 WASHINGTON POST STORY: CONGRESSIONAL  
INTEREST

THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE IS FOR THE AMBASSADOR FROM CONGRESS-  
MAN CHARLES C. DIGGS, JR. (D-MICHIGAN):

QUOTE: THE JANUARY 5 EDITION OF THE WASHINGTON POST, PAGE  
1 STORY ENTITLED "U.S. AMBASSADOR BRINGS OWN STYLE TO  
BARBADOS," INTER ALIA QUOTES YOU AS SAYING "I ALSO GOT THE  
SUPPORT OF CHARLES DIGGS (CHAIRMAN OF THE CONGRESSIONAL  
BLACK CAUCUS). HOW'S THAT FOR MIDDLE OF THE ROAD?" THE  
LATTER COMMENT WAS COMPARING MY ALLEGED SUPPORT WITH THAT  
OF YOUR SPONSOR, SENATOR STROM THURMOND. IF THIS QUOTE IS  
CORRECT, I DEMAND A RETRACTION. I HAVE NEVER BEEN YOUR  
PATRON OR CO-PATRON AND I STRONGLY RESENT THE USE OF MY  
NAME IN CONNECTION WITH YOU IN ANY WAY. UNQUOTE  
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